GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:23
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e-National Agricultural Market
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has started the work to integrate e-National Agricultural Market (e-NAM) platform with markets;

(b) if so, the total number of markets integrated with e-NAM so far, State/ UT-wise;

(c) whether the Government has taken any special steps to expedite the process of integrating the remaining markets with e-NAM platform;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the target fixed for integrating all the regulated mandis with e-NAM platform along with the time by which it is likely to be achieved?

Answer

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
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(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 23 DUE FOR REPLY ON 18TH JULY, 2017.

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b): So far, 455 markets from 13 States have been integrated with National Agriculture Market (e-NAM) portal, State/UT wise total number of markets integrated with e-NAM is annexed.

(c) & (d): As of now, the Government has approved, in-principle, the integration of 542 markets of 16 States/UTs with e-NAM. The concerned States/UTs who have been given in principle approval but their markets are yet to be on-boarded have been advised to adopt the 3 mandatory requirements, namely; (i) single point levy of market fee; (ii) single unified trading license in the State; (iii) e-trading and send detailed project proposals for integrating the markets with e-NAM. Further, the software and other infrastructure required for integration of markets on the web based platform has been standardized during the phase-1 of implementation and the on-boarding of new markets is happening in a smooth manner.

(e): As per approved e-NAM scheme, 585 regulated markets across the country are to be integrated with e-NAM portal by March, 2018.